

Phil^a June 18th 1883

Hon A Loudon Snowden

Chapt U.S. Mint

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Respectfully Yours

John A. McQuinn
Engineer
U.S. Mint

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

June 18, 1883.

Jno. L. McGinnis
~~Superintendent~~
Chief Engineer

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